

**NORTH SOMERSET COUNCIL**  
**(VARIOUS ROADS, NAILSEA, NORTH SOMERSET)**  
**(PROHIBITION OF VEHICLES OVER 7.5 TONNES**  
**MAXIMUM GROSS WEIGHT) ORDER 2022**

The Council of North Somerset (hereinafter referred to as “the Council”) in exercise of its power under Sections 1(1), 2(1) and (4), 3(2) of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulations Act 1984 as amended (hereinafter referred to as “the Act of 1984”) and all other enabling powers, after the consultation with the chief officer of police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 to the Act 1984, hereby makes the following Order:-

1. This Order shall come into operation on 30<sup>th</sup> of May 2022 and may be cited as the North Somerset Council (Various Roads, Nailsea) (Prohibition of Vehicles Over 7.5 Tonnes Maximum Gross Weight) Order 2022.

2. In this Order :-

“goods” includes money and postal packages of any description;

“maximum gross weight” has the meaning assigned to it by Schedule 1 of the Traffic Sign Regulation and General Directions 2016;

“money” includes a cheque, banknote, postal order or money order;

“public service vehicles” shall have the same meaning as in Section 1(1)(a) of the Public Passenger Vehicles Act 1981;

“school bus” has the meaning assigned to it by Section 1(2) of the School Bus (Safety) Bill 2008-2009.

3. Save as provided in Article 4, 5 and 6 of this Order, no person shall cause or permit any goods vehicle of a maximum gross weight exceeding 7.5 tonnes to enter or proceed in the lengths of roads specified in Schedule 1 & Schedule 2 of this Order.

4. Nothing in Article 3 of this order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle, the maximum gross weight of which exceeds 7.5 tonnes, inclusive of any load, to enter or proceed in the lengths of roads or on the sides of the roads referred to in Schedule 1 of this order, if the vehicle is being used -

(a) for or in connection with the conveyance of goods or merchandise to or from any premise situated on or adjacent to the length of road specified in Schedule 1 of this Order;

(b) for the purpose of agriculture in connection with land adjacent to or with access from the lengths of road specified in Schedule 1 of this Order or for the conveyance or haulage of timber felled upon that land;

(c) in connection with carrying out on or in premises situated on or adjacent to the lengths of road specified in Schedule 1 of this Order any of the following operations:-

- i. building, industrial or demolition operation;
  - ii. the removal of any obstruction to traffic;
  - iii. the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of the lengths of road or the sides of roads specified in the Schedule to this Order;
  - iv. the laying, erection, alteration or repair in, or in land adjacent to, the said lengths of road or sides of road of any sewer or of any main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity or of any telecommunication apparatus as defined in the Telecommunications Act 1984;
- (d) to proceed to or from premises which are situated on or adjacent to any of the lengths of road specified in Schedule 1 of this Order and at which the vehicle is to be, or has been garaged, serviced, repaired or re-fuelled;
- (e) in the service of a Local Authority, the Environment Agency, a water undertaker or sewerage undertaker in pursuance of statutory powers or duties and cannot be conveniently be used for such purpose in any other road;
- (f) for the purpose of collecting postal packets as defined in Section 125(1) of the Postal Service Act 2000;
- (g) any security company armoured vehicle to be used for the purpose of delivering or collecting money;
- (h) for fire brigade, ambulance or police in the execution of their duties.

**5.** Nothing in Article 3 of this order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle, the maximum gross weight of which exceeds 7.5 tonnes, inclusive of any load, to enter or proceed in the lengths of roads or on the sides of the roads referred to in Schedule 2 of this order, if the vehicle is being used –

- (a) in connection with carrying out on or in premises situated on or adjacent to the lengths of road specified in Schedule 2 of this Order any of the following operations;-
  - i. building, industrial or demolition operation;
  - ii. the removal of any obstruction to traffic;
  - iii. the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of the lengths of road or the sides of roads specified in the Schedule to this Order;
  - iv. the laying, erection, alteration or repair in, or in land adjacent to, the said lengths of road or sides of road of any sewer or of any main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity or of any telecommunication apparatus as defined in the Telecommunications Act 1984;
- (b) to proceed to or from premises which are situated on or adjacent to any of the lengths of road specified in Schedule 2 of this Order and at which the vehicle is to be, or has been garaged, serviced, repaired or re-fuelled;

- (c) in the service of a Local Authority, the Environment Agency, a water undertaker or sewerage undertaker in pursuance of statutory powers or duties and cannot be conveniently be used for such purpose in any other road;
- (d) for the purpose of collecting postal packets as defined in Section 125(1) of the Postal Service Act 2000;
- (e) any security company armoured vehicle to be used for the purpose of delivering or collecting money;
- (f) for fire brigade, ambulance or police in the execution of their duties.

6. Nothing in Article 3 of this Order shall apply to –

- (a) a school bus;
- (b) a public service vehicle.

7. Schedule 9 of the North Somerset District Council (Various Roads, Nailsea) (No Waiting) (Limited Waiting) (Loading Bay) (Disabled Bay) (One Way Traffic) (7.5 Tonnes Weight Restriction) (Prohibition Turns) and (Bus Stop) Order 2005 is hereby revoked.

Given under the COMMON SEAL of North Somerset Council the 26<sup>th</sup> day of May 2022

The COMMON SEAL of            )  
the COUNCIL of                    )  
NORTH SOMERSET                )  
was hereunto affixed in        )  
the presence of:-                 )

Assistant Director Governance & Monitoring Officer

**SCHEDULE 1 –**  
**7.5 TONNES MAXIMUM GROSS WEIGHT RESTRICTION**  
**(WITH ACCESS EXEMPTION)**

Mizzymead Road -	From the northernmost mini-roundabout junction arm with Stockway South to its junction with Station Road.
Station Road -	From its junction with Brockway to a point adjacent to the southern property boundary of No. 127, Station Road.
Brockway Sliproad -	For its entire length.
Brockway -	For its entire length.
Nailsea Ring Road -	For its entire length.
High Street -	From its junction with Link Road to the southernmost mini-roundabout junction arm with Stock Way North.
Link Road -	For its entire length.
Heath Road -	From its junction with High Street to a point adjacent to the southern property boundary of Flats 1 – 12, Heath Gates, Heath Road.
Friendship Lane -	For its entire length.

**SCHEDULE 2 –**  
**7.5 TONNES MAXIMUM GROSS WEIGHT RESTRICTION**

Station Road -	From a point adjacent to the southern property boundary of No. 127, Station Road to its junction with High Street.
High Street -	From its junction with Station Road to its junction with Link Road.